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Mr. Richard J. Schassburger U. S. Department of Energy Rocky Flats Office, Bldg 116 P.O. Box 928 Golden, Colorado 80402-0928

RE: OU 8 Dispute

Dear Mr. Schassburger,

The Colorado Department of Health, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the Division), hereby grants DOE's request for a three week extension to the informal dispute resolution period for the OU 8 dispute. The informal dispute resolution period is therefore extended until April 14, 1994.

This extension is granted with the mutual understanding that, by April 14, 1994, DOE will provide EPA and CDH the following:

- An outline of a plan for remediation of the industrialized area (IA). 1) The plan must comprehensively consider all activities that need to be coordinated to accomplish cleanup of the IA including, but not limited to, waste management and treatment issues, environmental restoration issues, and decontamination and decommissioning issues.
- A date for when the above plan will developed, completed, and available 2) to the agencies.
- DOE's proposed time-frame for the duration of any agreement to settle 3) IAG violations associated with the IA. This time-frame should be based on the expected duration of IAG negotiations and on the schedule for when the above IA remediation plan can be implemented.

If you have any questions regarding these matters, please call toe Schieffelin of my staff at 692-3356.

Sincerely,

Gary W. Baughman, Chief

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